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| mr A | 4,826,376 | 5-2-1989 | ALDRIDGE ET AL. | — | — | |
| mr B | 463,301 | 11-17-1891 | BRANDNER | — | — | |
| mr C | 721,023 | 2-17-1903 | COSPER | — | — | |
| mr D | 844,469 | 2-19-1907 | PROUTY | — | — | |
| mr E | 875,561 | 12-31-1907 | VERNA | — | — | |
| mr F | 996,133 | 6-27-1911 | PETERS | — | — | |
| mr G | 1,106,096 | 8-4-1914 | HUNT | — | — | |
| mr H | 1,375,781 | 4-26-1921 | DE LONG | — | — | |
| mr I | 1,432,050 | 10-17-1922 | BRODERICK | — | — | |
| mr J | 1,722,783 | 7-30-1929 | BASSECHES | — | — | |
| mr K | 1,879,421 | 9-27-1932 | NALLE | — | — | |

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| MWT | L | 2,153,474 | 4-4-1939 | NAYLOR ET AL. | — | — | |
| MWT | M | 2,195,124 | 3-26-1940 | SKOVERSKI | — | — | |
| MWT | N | 2,244,400 | 6-3-1941 | MILLER | — | — | |
| MWT | O | 2,285,345 | 6-2-1942 | MILLER | — | — | |
| MWT | P | 2,374,266 | 4-24-1945 | BARR | — | — | |
| MWT | Q | 2,676,509 | 4-27-1954 | GRAHAM | — | — | |
| MWT | R | 2,736,227 | 2-28-1956 | STROBLE | — | — | |
| MWT | S | 2,789,458 | 4-23-1957 | SKEISVOLL | — | — | |
| MWT | T | 3,343,440 | 9-26-1967 | JONES ET AL. | — | — | |
| MWT | U | 3,431,623 | 3-11-1969 | SMEETS | — | — | |
| MWT | V | 4,048,897 | 9-20-1977 | PRICE, JR. | — | — | |

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